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## LOCAL TAXTION

is Suggestion By Judge Carroll To Cure Evils of Tax Laws, Made In Opening His Gubernatorial Campaign

Before an audience composed of leading farmers and business men of Madison county, who comfortably fill-ed the county court room, Judge John D. Carroll, Chief Justice of the Court Appeals, made the opening address his campaign for the democratic

tried every method that could be thot of in the way of penalties and forfeitures and drastic oaths to secure the putting on the assessment roll money and intangible personal property but in every instance where the rate of taxation was high the scheme was a total failure. The oath the tax payer was required to take in 1917 and 1918, and yet the tax payers of the State in 1916 only assessed a very trifling per cent of the money and property that they voluntarily assessed in 1917 and 1918.

presence of these conditions that have existed for time out of mind not only in Kentucky but every state in the union to talk about putting this class of property on the assessment roll unless the rate of taxation is low, because it cannot be done. We may theorize and talk about it as much as we please; we may denounce tax dodgers until we are out of breath; we may make out tax laws as searching and severe as we please and searching and severe as we please and impose all the penalties that can be thought of, but by no one of all these methods that have been tried many times in every state can money or intangible property be put on the assessment roll when the rate of taxation is as high as local taxes are in this State.

# **DIXIE GARAGE HERE**

The Dixie Garage, of which Everett Sandlin was proprietor, was sold early this week to the proprietors of the Paint Lick Garage who took charge this morning. Mr. D. W. White will be actively in charge of the local office and plant. His partners in the deal are Messrs. R. G. Woods, F. J. Foley and J. Riddle. They will have the local agency for the Chevroice car. and will shortly have something interesting to say about it brough the advertising columns of the Daily Register.

Peace Treaty To Be Formally Presented To Hun Delegates On Thursday

Paris, May 5—Bulletin—Italian Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino wil return to Paris, leaving Rome tonight, it was announced here today. Meanwhile the Italian Ambassador at London was designated to participate for Italy in the League of Nations committee meeting the arrendom.

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The sudden changes in the Italian situation were announced after it became known that the Council of Three had dispatched a message to Rome, the nature of which was not disclosed. The fact that the Italian Ambassador to Great Britain who is in Paris, has been delegated to represent Italy at the meeting today which will formally launch the League of Nations, is taken to indicate that the former relations of Italy with the conference will be resumed in full.

Orlando and Sonnino are expected to reach Paris Wednesday and be present Thursday when the peace treaty is handed to the Germans. The sudden changes in the Italian

### LITTLE ONES TO SEE IT

Paris, May, 5—Bulletin—A secret plenary section of the peace conference was called to meet this afternoon at the French Foreign Office to present the peace treaty to the smaller powers.

TREATY GOES TO HUN
LEADER ON THURSDAY
Paris, May 5—Bulletin—It is now
certain, according to the French press
that the peace treaty will be solemnly
handed to Count Von Brockdorff
Rantzau, the German Foreign Minister, by Premier Clemenceau, at Versailles Thursday.

## **FIRE DAMAGES TWO ATLANTIC PLANES**

New York, May 5—Fire at the naval air station at Rockaway Beach to-day damaged two naval seaplanes which were to start tomorrow on the first leg of the trans-Atlantic flight. It is announced that at least one and possibly both damaged planes will be repaired and with a third start tomorrow for New Foundland where the flight is scheduled to begin.

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American naval aviators in their flight to Europe will take the northern route "for the same reason that Columbus, searching for a new route to India, took the southern course across the Atlantic." That is, because the winds blow east in the North, while the winds blow west in the South, according to Weather Bureau scientists, who estimate the trans-Atlantic flight can be reduced three hours by the use of the northern route.

## **BELGIUM WILL SIGN**

(By Associated Press)

Brussels, May 5—The Belgian government has decided to sign the peace treaty notwithstanding the feeling that the finanical economic and territorial aspects of the pact are unsatisfactory. The allies, meanwhile, will be asked to assure Belgium of their complete support looking to her economic restoration.

BIG REPORTER HERE. Claude Perry, city editor of the Courier-Journal, and one of the fairest and best posted political writers in the state, was in town Monday to report Judge Carroll's opening address for his great newspaper.

PHONE PROTEST CASE

/ DELAYED IN LOUISVILLE

Louisville, May 5—Circuit Court

Judge Kirby today denied the prayer
of the city of Louisville for an injunction against the Home and Cumberland Telephone Companies to restrain
rate increases, asserting that a Supreme Court decision covering the
case is expected shortly. case is expected shortly.

Dr. D. J. Williams has returned from Chicago where he spent three weeks taking postgraduate work.

it will remove the cause of complaint that has existed everywhere in the state since the assessment of landed properly has been subjected to revision by state agencies such as the old state Board of Equalization and Assessment and the new State Tax Commission.

The plan is not a new one. It has been tried with success in many other state and has been approved by tax experts everywhere. A system like this was recommended to the state legislatur in 1909 by a tax-commission appointed to inquire into the tax laws of the state and recommend changes therein, but for reasons that I am not familiar with it was not adopted.

Now, in conclusion, I have tried to express frankly my views on this important subject. If there are errors in the principle that lies at the bottom of the scheme and which the seperation of property for purposes of state and county taxation. I shall be glad to have them pointed out. If the principle is fundamentally wrong and it is not feasible or practicable in the estimation of any person who has given the subject consideration, I suggest that new is the time to point out the objections. If any one has a better plant I would like te know it, and I am sure the tax payers would. I am approaching this subject with an open mind. I want information. I am willing to learn. I want to do what is

### THE MARKETS

Louisville, May 5—Cattle 1,300; slow; hogs, 5,100; strong; sheep 200; steady; all unchanged.

Cincinnati, May 5—Cattle steady; hogs a quarter higher; three fancy loads at \$21; Chicago higher.

THE WEATHER.

Showers this afternoon; fair and cooler tonight and Tuesday.

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Leslie Tudor, another of Madison's splendid young sons who almost gave their lives for their country, arrived home Friday night, having been mustered out at Camp Taylor. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvads Tudor, and lismany friends and loved ones are mighty proud of his record. He was severely wounded in the terrific fighting at Soissons, but was given such splendid care by Uncle Sam that he is about himself again altho he will bear to the day of his death scars on the jagged wound he received in his ride. The record of the death scars on the jagged wound he received in his ride. The record of the death scars on the fagged wound he received in his ride. The record of the death scars on the fagged wound he received in his ride. The record of the death scars on the fagged wound he received in his ride. The record of the feath of the death scars on the fagged wound he received in his ride. The record of the feath of the tack during the Alilied drive which finally whipped the Huns.

GLASSIFIED-ADS.

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(Advertisements under this heading 1c a word, each insertion, cash with order and minimum charge of 25c per adv.)

BARGAINS in Big Type Poland China poars for a few days only. Fount Rice, phone 623 X. Terrill, Ky. 131 5p

FOR SALE—A good Shetland pony, oming 3 years old. Phone 8551, 131 tf

FOR SALE—Immediately, a nice brick residence of nine rooms; well im-proved. See Mrs. Celena Hobson, phone 750.

FOR SALE—Big Type Poland China boar, ready for service; too good to knife but will be spared only, a few days. Dr. J. W. Scudder. Richmond.

FOR SALE—Pipe and fittings for water, steam and gas; machine and encine repairs. Phone 498 for prices. Ben F. Hurst, Elks building. FOR SALE—S. C. Brown Leghorn eggs; \$1 for setting of 15 or \$5 per 100. W. T. Olds, Union City. 108-2wp

FOR SALE—I have some L—swille and Atlanta State Fair Champson Ky. Red Berkshire Swine for sale. W. B. Turley, Richmond, Ky.

FOR RENT Splendid 6-room house on Hillsdale avenue; can give posses-sion at once. Phone 586.

DON'T forget to call Thos. A. Shelton the Hurst Home Insurance Company. The rate is the lowest Richmond, Ky.

### NOTICE

Dr. J. W. Weber, the foot spefalist, who had such a big success in Richmond and elsewhere. after that date. Dr. Weber will will take new patients for a limited time only, Thursday, May 15, 1919. So if you want to have your feet treated be supplied.

## DENHARDT SAYS "LET'S CLEAN HOUSE"

Candidate For Governor Alleges Deal Between Stanley Democrats and Morrow Republicans In Manipulating Tax Law

to feed at the public trough, irrespective of which party happens to be in control.

In straight-from-the-shoulder fashion, he charged that the "Morrow mashine, dominating the republican party with men like Jack Oliver, Tom Spurier, Pfm Grinstead, and others of their stripe, and the democratic machine, dominated by Henry Hines, Tom Pannell, Eli Brown, Tom Hatcher, and Seldon Glenn, got together for the purpose of creating and dividing among their henchmen a lot of offices created by the offending tax law during the present administration, and further charging that the law "was put over by a trade between the Morrow republicans and certain democrats of the present administration."

It seemed "likely," he said, that Jim Scott, a Morrow republican, from Tom of the State Tax Commission, purposed so to enrage the people of the state against the party in power when the "odious" tax law was passed, that without thinking they would elect Morrow.

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Col. Denhardt in the opinion of many of his hearers, took a "fling" at Gov. Stanley when, commenting upon the ability of Morrow as an orator and promiser, that Kentuckians had not forgotten what they heard "from the lips of splendid orators not far in the past, just as wonderful speeches, and just as artful promises which have not in any way been fulfilled, but which have been broken deliberately."

The circuit court room here was comfortably filled this afternoon when the Rev. Clyde Darsie, of Mt. Sterling, minister, arose to introduce Col. Denhardt, and told what he had done for his country on the battlefields of France, where, on more than one occasion, he was cited in orders for heroism while in action.

Col. Denhardt began the opening speech of his campaign with complimentary reference to his rivals for the nomination, terming them true democrats and men of high character. When, in his discussion of the tax law, he declared himself in favor of its repeal in favor of another law that "will restore to each county the right of home rule

LOST — Saturday morning between Bickmond and the lake, a pair of French heel, gray kid, shoes; reward for return to Miss Kirby, phone 1916.

LOST—Single key on a beaded nickel chain; reward for return to this office 1312.

LOST—On Safurday somewhere between the Dikie In and the campus, a package containing a black silk bag; return to Daily Register office and receive reward.

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LOST—Who Back rest of rear seat-of automobile on Lexington pike. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this ad.

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